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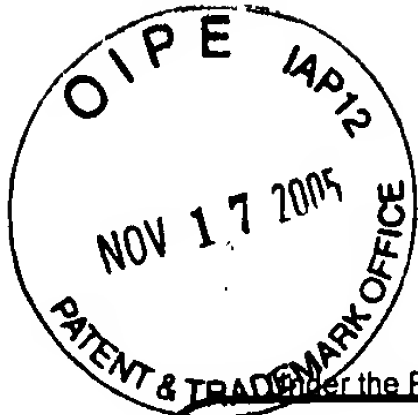
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 - 2. 46 sheets of Corrected Drawings;
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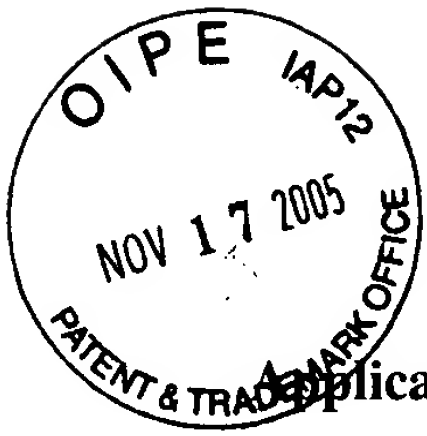
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S
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Dear Sir or Madam:

This is in Response to the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review accompanied with the Notice of Allowance mailed October 17, 2005 in connection with the above-captioned patent application. Applicant submits one set of Corrected Drawings (total of 46 sheets) to address the objections noted by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84.

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